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MEMORANDUM

TO: Metropolitan Planning Organization Committee Members

FROM: Kip Harrington, Division Manager

DATE: February 5, 2024

RE: 24TP004 - Letter of Support for the Rapid City Country Road

RAISE Grant Application

The City of Rapid City is seeking RAISE Grant Program funding for the Country Road Reconstruction Project. Country Road does not currently meet City street standards, and is in poor condition. Additionally, Country Road lacks bicycle and pedestrian, drainage, and safety infrastructure.

A letter of support from the Metropolitan Planning Organization may assist in the grant application process.

<u>STAFF RECOMMENDATION</u>: Staff recommends approval of the Letter of Support for the Rapid City Country Road RAISE Grant Application